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THE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE SELECTS STATE DELEGATES

Decided to Hold Primaries Later to Elect Delegates to Republican County Convention

A spirited meeting of the Republican County Central Committee was held in Redwood City last Thursday afternoon in the law offices of Ross & Ross.

Promptly at 2 o'clock the meeting was called to order by Chairman John MacBain, who stated its object.

On roll call, the following committeemen were noted present: Chairman John MacBain, Secretary Hall C. Ross, C. T. Connelly, James D. Kerr, D. J. Lynch, W. A. Price. J. C. Williamson was absent.

At the request of the chairman, Secretary Ross read the call issued by the Republican State Central Committee, which provides in what manner and when primaries shall be held. The call was received and placed on file.

The resignation of John T. Ralston as a member of the committee was accepted, and J. C. Williamson, alternate, was selected to fill the vacancy.

A communication was received from the California State Federation of Labor advocating the Initiative and Referendum, Direct Primary Law and the Recall. Placed on file.

Petitions signed by 133 Republicans of the First Township of San Mateo County asking that the committee call primaries at which delegates to the coming State, Congressional and Joint Senatorial Conventions should be voted for were presented for consideration.

A delegation of Republicans was present as representatives of the signers—E. E. Cunningham, Thos. Hickey and J. E. Rogers of South San Francisco.

E. E. Cunningham explained to the committee the purport of the petitions, which meant that instead of the committee appointing delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions they should call primaries at which the body of Republicans could vote for the delegates. He said he had been a Republican since 1860, and was a great believer in the primary system, a system that prevailed in all the States outside of California. He

believed the committee would usurp powers not intended for it if delegates were appointed. He said the movement for direct primaries extends from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and that the people of California were becoming aroused to the necessity of such a system. He hoped the committee would consider the petition carefully and grant the request.

Geo. A. Merrill, the Good Government Mayor of Redwood City, asked that the committee call primaries at which Republicans could vote for delegates for all the conventions. He said he was a Reform Republican, who had worked with Abe Ruef in San Francisco to beat down the power of Kelly and Crimmins at a time when they were the Republican bosses, and later had worked with other Reform Republicans to destroy the power of Abe Ruef. He believed the Republican Party would stand no show of winning this year if delegates were appointed by the committee.

Some discussion then prevailed, after which it was moved, seconded and carried unanimously that the petitions be laid upon the table, to be taken up again at the next meeting of the committee.

Later, the committee, upon motion, decided to appoint delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions. The following named delegates were selected:

First Township—W. J. Martin and B. S. Green.

Second Township—J. H. Coleman and J. D. Kerr.

Third Township—John MacBain and W. A. Price.

Fourth Township—D. J. Lynch.

Fifth Township—J. C. Williamson.

The committee decided to issue a call for primaries at which delegates will be voted for to attend the county convention, which will take place in the latter part of September.

It is understood that the Republican County Convention this year will be held in South San Francisco.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS TOLD IN BRIEF

The local schools will be open for pupils next Monday.

Max Schutt and the Harder brothers have recently returned from a month's camping trip along the coast.

W. H. Dunbar has received the contract to paint one of the local school houses, inside and out.

J. A. Norris, superintendent of the Pacific rubber paint department at Fuller's, is taking his annual vacation.

Mrs. John S. Sinclair of San Francisco is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Dunbar, at their home on Grand Avenue.

Jos. H. Nash, County Clerk, and Henry Underhill, Auditor, were at the Eagle's picnic at Tanforan Park last Sunday.

Jesse O. Snyder, wife and daughter Ruth, will leave South San Francisco next Tuesday for a two-weeks' vacation at Adams Springs, in Lake County.

Miss Jennie Vujetch, of Cottonwood, California, is spending her vacation in South San Francisco, and is the guest of Mrs. E. E. Cunningham.

Married.—On the 29th day of July, 1908, George Frederick East and Lillian Meek, of San Bruno, California, lately of New Jersey, by the Rev. Edwin D. Kizer, at the parsonage of St. Pauls Methodist Episcopal Church.

John Cox is now assistant superintendent at the W. P. Fuller & Co factory in place of J. Benzing. Mr Benzing will probably take another position with the Fuller Company. Jack, we wish you success in any position you may accept in the future.

Many buildings in town have been receiving new coats of paint during the past week. The City Grocery Building, Jas. Carmody owner; Baden Hotel, A. Hynding owner; a residence on Linden Avenue and the Merriam Block near the foot of Grand Avenue. Many residences all over town are being repainted.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors on Monday, the district attorney stated that a mistake in the advertisement for bids for stone work and metal cornices for the courthouse had vitiated the bids and that all the bids should be rejected and readvertised. Accordingly this action was taken and readvertising ordered.

Jas. Coffroth applied to have a license issued to him to give boxing exhibitions in the Mission street arena, near Colma. The license to be for one year. Granted.

Assessor C. D. Hayward and Coroner H. G. Plymire were granted sixty days leave of absence with permission to go outside of the state.

Several saloon licenses were granted by the Board.

On Tuesday an adjourned meeting of the board was held and bids were ordered advertised for bridges in the First, Second, Third and Fourth townships. An adjournment was then taken to Monday next.

COUNTY HAPPENINGS.

Frank Knowles' new hall at the top of Daly's Hill will receive the public this Saturday evening, when the grand opening takes place. Give the new place a good sendoff. There will be dancing and street car service all night.

The Democratic County Central Committee will meet this afternoon at Redwood City to appoint delegates to the Democratic State, Congressional and Joint Senatorial Conventions.

INCORPORATION PETITION GRANTED BY SUPERVISORS

Original Boundary Lines Amended So As to Leave Out Smelter Site and Territory on South Side

The Board of Supervisors last Monday granted the petition of the citizens of South San Francisco asking that the residents of this town be given an opportunity to vote on the question of whether South San Francisco shall be incorporated into a city of the sixth class.

It also perfected the boundaries for the new city. The original lines asked for were followed with the exception of the Smelter site, the Tanforan Park tract and the territory called Fifth Addition to San Bruno.

The Smelter site territory was conceded by the committee representing the citizens here, on account of objections being made to its being included in the incorporated limits by representatives of the Home Protective Association, which is opposed to smelters being erected in San Mateo County. Tanforan Park tract and the Fifth Addition to San Bruno were conceded to the San Bruno school district for taxation purposes several weeks ago.

W. E. Dennison, President of the Steiger Pottery Co., was present and protested against his company's plant being included in the limits of the new town.

President Littlefield, of W. P. Fuller & Co., was also present and objected to having its plant included in the limits of the new city.

They both claimed they would have to pay taxes without representation.

After discussing the matter for some time, all of the manufacturing district of South San Francisco was included

within the boundary lines except the smelter site as stated before.

A resolution reciting the proceedings from the beginning and directing that an election be held on September 3d, at which time the citizens of the town can declare their desire to be a municipality, and select the officers by whom they shall be governed was presented by Attorney H. W. Brown for the petitioners.

The resolution was adopted on roll call by a vote of four ayes, to one no.

Another resolution was adopted by the same vote, setting forth the form of ballot to be used in the election.

The resolutions were ordered published in THE ENTERPRISE.

Mass Meeting to Be Held.

A mass meeting of the citizens of South San Francisco will be held in Metropolitan Hall next Monday evening, under the auspices of the South San Francisco Improvement Club.

It will be for the purpose of hearing a report of the work done by a committee before the Board of Supervisors during the past few months and what has been accomplished.

A discussion will also be had as to what character of campaign will be adopted to bring the incorporation of the town to a successful ending.

Meetings will be held every Monday evening until election day, September 3d.

An opportunity will be given all taxpayers to express their ideas.

It is important that there should be a full attendance at all the meetings.

SAN BRUNO ITEMS

Don't forget the church social on August 11th.

P. Lind's barbecue was surely a success.

The Ladies' Aid Society held their weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Grady.

The mass meeting for the purpose of selecting a site for a new schoolhouse will be held next Wednesday evening.

A social dance will be given for the benefit of Mrs. Pope in the Town Hall, August 15th. Come all. It is for a good cause.

Entered into rest in San Bruno, August 1, '08, Mrs. Philomene Crenlet, a native of Germany.

The Yeomen of America organized a San Bruno Homestead on August 4th with thirty-six charter members. The full roll of officers were elected.

Mrs. H. Velleno was called to New Almaden, Santa Clara County, to witness the death of her brother, Frederick G. Wagner on August 2d.

The Harmonie Club will give an entertainment in the Town Hall on Saturday evening, August 22d. After the entertainment, dancing will prevail. The program for the entertainment is an excellent one, and the hall should be crowded to the doors.

Mrs. B. Kirk was hostess at a reception on Sunday afternoon, August 2d, in honor of her daughter Bessie's eighteenth birthday. The affair took place at the Kirk's handsome home in the Third Addition and was attended by a dozen of Miss Bessie's young lady friends. The afternoon was spent in playing and singing by the noted vocalist, Miss Ettie McCleer. Those present were: Misses Bess Kirk, Frances Stead, Alice Valentine, Alice Murphy, Jean Kirk, Elise Tuendeling, Mercy Silva, Edna Lloyd, Florence Lloyd, Ettie McCleer, Lily Kirk and Marjorie Kirk.

COLMA NOTES

Frank Russi was obliged to cut his trip short on account of business. He spent ten days in and about Reno and Lake Tahoe vicinity.

Don't forget the opening dance at Hillcrest in Knowles Hall.

Fred Russi has left on a two-weeks' vacation, leaving Ed. Matcovich in charge of the saloon.

Miss Devi Belli has returned, having spent some time in Calistoga.

The earthen picnic at Lovchen Gardens, on Saturday afternoon and evening, proved to be a very enjoyable outing.

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PROMINENT MINISTER AT ST. PAULS CHURCH

The people of South San Francisco are favored by the presence of the Reverend Doctor Murr, a well-known Presbyterian clergyman for many years. Dr. Murr is to speak at St. Pauls M. E. Church next Sunday at 11 a. m. He is the Past Grand Chaplain of the G. A. R. A large assemblage should hear him.

He is an excellent speaker and has served several large churches.

At the evening service the pastor, Rev. Mr. Kizer, will speak on "The Need of Religion."

To both of these services the public is invited.

BALL TO-NIGHT.

A grand ball will be given tonight at Metropolitan Hall under the auspices of South City Baseball Club. Fifty cents is the price of admission; ladies free. A. M. DuBois will be floor manager. There should be a rousing attendance, as the club is a great factor in advertising South San Francisco.

South San Francisco

Railroad Time Table

BAY SHORE CUTOFF.

NORTHBOUND TRAINS.

6:13 A. M.
7:23 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
7:43 A. M.
8:43 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
9:23 A. M.
10:08 A. M.
12:53 P. M.
3:01 P. M.
4:43 P. M.
(Saturday only)
5:23 P. M.
7:03 P. M.
7:13 P. M.
10:33 P. M.
(Sunday only)

SOUTHBOUND TRAINS.

6:36 A. M.
7:37 A. M.
8:40 A. M.
10:57 A. M.
11:57 A. M.
1:17 P. M.
(Saturday only)
2:20 P. M.
3:37 P. M.
4:37 P. M.
5:57 P. M.
6:47 P. M.
12:02 P. M.
(Theatre Train)

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From San Francisco via Valencia Street and to San Francisco via Bay Shore Cutoff.

6:30 a. m.
10:15 A. M.
(Sunday only)
11:50 A. M.
(Sunday only)
12:40 P. M.
(Flag Stop)
4:20 p. m.
6:20 p. m.
7:19 p. m.
(except Sunday)

From San Francisco via Bay Shore Cutoff and to San Francisco via Valencia Street.

5:50 a. m.
(except Sunday)
9:50 A. M.
(Sunday only)
10:20 A. M.
(Except Sunday)
11:35 A. M.
(Sunday only)
2:30 P. M.
5:25 p. m.
(except Sunday)
6:25 p. m.

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2:30 P. M.
6:00 P. M.

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6:30 A. M.
11:00 A. M.
3:00 P. M.

* Mails from south arrive.

† Mails from north arrive.

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Tax Collector..... C. L. McCracken
District Attorney..... J. J. Bullock
Assessor..... C. D. Hayward
County Clerk..... Joseph H. Nash
County Recorder..... John F. Johnston
Sheriff..... Robert Chatham
Auditor..... Henry Underhill
Superintendent of Schools..... Roy Cloud
Coroner and Public Adm..... Dr. H. G. Plymire
Surveyor..... James B. Neuman
Health Officer..... D. B. Plymire, M. D.

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The Lady of The Lilacs.

By Philip Kean.

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Sherwood called her "The Lady of the Lilacs" because always on spring days there was a bunch of lilacs on her desk, offerings from the girls to a best loved teacher.

"You simply can't help loving her," Betty Baynes said to Sherwood in her emphatic young girl way. "You simply can't help it, Uncle Jack."

"I don't see," Uncle Jack ventured, "where her particular charm comes in."

"She's so sweet," Betty analyzed, "and dainty—and—and—sad"—Betty was getting into deep water. "Anyhow, she's lovely."

Sherwood always called for his niece after school and drove her out to Sherwood farm, where Betty and her widowed mother made their home with him. The farm was beyond the town—a great place, with great barns, where were housed the beautiful horses that had made the farm famous.

As he sat in the trap waiting he could look right into the windows of the room where Miss Duval taught, and he could see her head bent over her desk, with the great bunch of lilacs making a background.

"Look here," he said to Betty one afternoon as they drove away in the sunshine, "I'd like to paint her that way."

"What way?" asked Betty.

"Paint Miss Duval—just her head, bent a little, against a background of lilac blooms, with a circle of gold inclosing it like a halo."

"Oh, Uncle Jack," Betty's face was beaming, "it would be beautiful."

"I'd call it 'The Lady of the Lilacs,'" Sherwood planned. "By George, Betty, I believe it would be the best thing I've done."

But "The Lady of the Lilacs" when approached refused to be painted. "Oh, please tell Mr. Sherwood," she said breathlessly, "that I couldn't think of such a thing. I am sure he can find a better model, Betty."

"He can't," Betty said obstinately. "Please, please, Miss Duval."

The little teacher shook her head. "Don't insist, dear," she said. "I really cannot."

"Now, what do you think of that, Uncle Jack," said Betty, almost in tears, as they drove away that night.

"I don't know what to think," said Sherwood. "I hate to give up the idea."

"Well, don't give it up," Betty said. "You know you always get your own way when you want it, Uncle Jack."

"Yes, I do," said Sherwood thoughtfully.

Several days later when Betty came out of the school arm in arm with the little teacher Sherwood met them at the door.

"Won't you let us drive you home, Miss Duval?" he urged. "We will go the long way round, and it will do you good."

Miss Duval hesitated. "Oh," she began, but Betty interrupted: "Of course you'll go. You've never driven behind the Buckner team, and they are such beauties."

It developed that Miss Duval was from Kentucky and that she loved horses. "I used to ride a great deal out there," she admitted.

"Why can't you ride here?" Sherwood demanded. "We have a half dozen ladies' mounts in the stables that are growing fat and lazy for want of exercise."

"I haven't a habit," Miss Duval demurred.

"I have two," Betty announced promptly, "and you can wear one."

On Saturday Miss Duval in Betty's covert cloth habit and three cornered hat and mounted on Hulda Buckner was a transformed creature.

"I thought she was pretty," was Sherwood's mental comment, "but, by Jove, she's a beauty."

And more and more he yearned to paint her.

To that end he paid her most devoted attention, and it became a regular thing for the little teacher to spend the week ends at Sherwood farm. Betty's mother found her charming.

"I am glad to have Betty under her influence," she told her brother. "She is a lady to her finger tips."

"Yes," Sherwood agreed moodily, "but I wish she would let me paint her as 'The Lady of the Lilacs.'"

His sister flared indignantly. "I don't believe you ever look at a woman except from the standpoint of art."

Sherwood laughed. "I don't fall in love easily, if that is what you mean," he said and shrugged his shoulders and went on.

That afternoon he sauntered down to the end of the big garden where Dulcie Duval was pouring tea. The little table was set under a lilac bush, and the fragrance of the blossoms filled the air.

Betty, on the other side of the bush, was playing tennis with a boy from town. Mrs. Baynes had been called to the house, and Sherwood was alone with the Lilac Lady.

"I wish you would let me paint your picture," he said to her.

"No," she said slowly. "I am not sure that I like the idea of my picture hanging in a gallery for the public to gaze at."

"Surely," Sherwood urged, "one should not keep beauty hidden."

"I am not beautiful," she said quietly. She leaned back in the big wicker chair. Her face was very pale, and there were shadows under her eyes. Behind her the lilacs tossed their pale purple plumes in the spring breeze.

"I am not beautiful," she repeated.

"But I think I ought to tell you why I do not want my picture placed before the public."

It was such a simple little tale. She was married. That was the fact that was borne in upon him with stunning force. Her husband had been her father's choice, not her own.

"We were rich," she explained, "but after my father's death my husband spent everything we had, and I was very unhappy. So I ran away and took my maiden name. And that is why I do not want my picture to appear. I do not want him to find me—ever."

She said it vehemently, with a little flush on her cheeks. "My father said love would come," she went on hurriedly, "but it did not. I felt for Betty's sake I ought to tell you. It's such unpleasant history that you might not care to have me with her so much."

Sherwood flung up his head. Suddenly it seemed to him that there was nothing that he so much wished to do as to shelter her from misfortune.

"Betty will always be honored by your presence, as we all are—as we shall always be," he said, and she smiled at him and held out her hand.

"Somehow I felt that I had found a friend," she said simply. "That is why I told you. It seemed best, and I knew you would understand."

That afternoon Sherwood went for a long ride on his favorite horse, Maxtell, and during that ride he fought a battle. Now that Dulcie Duval was out of reach she seemed the most desirable thing in the world. Indeed, from the first moment she had been desirable, but he had let the artist in him blind the lover. He had made himself think that it was her picture, not herself, that he wanted.

And now that he knew that he loved her he felt that he must go away—back to Paris to the studio—to the dreams that had of late been partially submerged in his practical plans for Sherwood farm.

When he came back that night, Betty met him on the porch.

"We are going for a ride early in the morning," she said, "Miss Duval and I, and I want you to go with us."

"Not tomorrow, Bettykins," he demurred. "I've got a lot of things to do. I am planning to spend the summer in Paris."

Betty's dismayed exclamation brought his sister and Miss Duval.

"He's going away," Betty cried, "and he doesn't know when he will come back."

And Sherwood, watching the face of the Lady of the Lilacs, saw it grow pale, and his heart leaped at the thought that she cared.

In the early morning from his bedroom window he saw them ride away. Five minutes later he was at the stables. "How does it happen that Miss Duval is riding Maxtell?" he demanded of a groom.

"Hulda is lame," said the man, "and Miss Duval insisted on riding Maxtell. We tried to get her to have one of the other mounts, but she wouldn't."

"Maxtell can't be trusted," said Sherwood sharply, "not with a lady. He never likes the flutter of skirts."

"I know, sir." The man looked worried.

"Well, get Buckner Belle ready," Sherwood ordered, "and I'll go after them."

As he cantered down to the gate a boy met him with a telegram. Without looking at the address, Sherwood tore it open, then as a half dozen words confronted him he saw that it was not for him, but for Miss Duval. Her husband was dead, her lawyer wired, and she must come at once.

In that moment the whole world changed for Sherwood. He knew that it was unseemly for him to grow light hearted because of the death of a fellow creature. But for her it meant freedom, for him happiness.

He paid the boy and spurred his horse to greater speed, and at last he saw ahead of him Betty on a sturdy little mare; Dulcie, holding in Maxtell, who danced along the road in a way that spelled danger.

And even as Sherwood looked Maxtell bolted!

And after him, like a shot, went Buckner Belle.

The big horse was not a match for the brilliant mare, and presently Sherwood was beside Dulcie, his hand on Maxtell's bridle.

of the well known voice, stopped so suddenly that Dulcie swayed and slipped from his back inertly. Sherwood, dropping the bridle, caught her in his arms.

"Dulcie," he said impulsively; "Dulcie, dear!"

She opened her eyes. "Please," she said faintly, "let me go. You must not."

"Hush!" he said. "You are not strong enough to stand alone, and you have a right here. You are free at last, dear heart."

Her startled eyes met his. "How?" she questioned.

"He is dead," he said quietly. "You are to go to Kentucky this afternoon. Betty's mother will go with you."

He released her then and went on in steady tones.

"But you will come back, Dulcie. When you feel that it is right—you will come back—to me?"

Betty was pounding down the road on the sturdy mare. Dulcie looked up at Sherwood, strong and grave between the beautiful horses.

"Yes," she said, and suddenly her face was illumined. "Yes, I will come back, and you shall paint me—your 'Lady of the Lilacs.'"

The Clock Was Wrecked.

Biway—Use an alarm clock nowadays? Jigsup—No; never tried one but once. Biway—How was that? Jigsup—Well, you see, the first time it went off I didn't exactly know what it was, and so I said, "Oh, for heaven's sake, Maria, shut up!" Maria happened to be awake, and—well, that is how it was.—Liverpool Mercury.

Chivalrous Chicago.

In Chicago more than in any other place is woman regarded in the light of a thing of beauty and a joy forever. There is hardly a man in Chicago who does not esteem feminine loveliness as something beyond price—something to live for, to strive for, to suffer for and if necessary to die for.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Historical Mystery Solved.

The man in the iron mask explained. "I let my wife cut my hair," he sobbed.

Herewith all tendered him respectful sympathy.—New York Sun.

Everything unknown is taken for magnificent.—Greek Proverb.

The Land of the Free.

"There's eight nations represented in this ward of ours," said Mr. Holloran to his wife on his return from a political meeting. He began to count them off on his fingers.

"There's Irish, Frinch, Eytalians, Poles, Germans, Roossians, Greeks an'—"

Mr. Holloran stopped and began again:

"There's Irish, Frinch, Eytalians, Poles, Germans, Roossians, Greeks—"

"an' ain't it queer I disremember the other wan? There's Irish, Frinch"—

"Maybe 'twas Americans," suggested Mrs. Holloran.

"Sure, that's it," said her husband. "I couldn't think."—Youth's Companion.

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To Manufacturers

The earthquake did but little damage to South San Francisco. The industries located here, the Western Meat Company, the Wool Pullery, the Butler Brick Company, the Pacific Jupiter Steel Company, the Steiger Pottery Works, the W. P. Fuller White Lead Works, and other enterprises, are all in full operation to-day. Not one of them having suffered any serious impairment by reason of the earthquake.

The South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company planned South San Francisco as a manufacturing suburb of San Francisco. With that object in view they originally purchased 3500 acres of land in San Mateo county on the bay front five miles south of the City of San Francisco, and have developed their property so that to-day they possess perfected nearly every feature desired by manufacturers.

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

Is a railroad terminal; it is on the main line of the Southern Pacific Railroad and accessible to all railroads; has deep water communication; owns and operates for its industries, a railroad connecting with the Southern Pacific and the water front; has electric street car service from factory to town and direct to San Francisco; has an Electric Light and Power Company; owns an independent water works, and has an abundance of fresh water for factory and house; has wharves and docks; a perfect sewerage system; a bank; a town hall; and a population of 3000 people; an extensive and fine residence district, where workingmen may secure land at reasonable prices and on favorable terms, as homes for themselves and their families.

FACTORY SITES

Can be obtained from the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company on most reasonable terms.

The American Smelting and Refining Company recently purchased from this Company 200 acres of land and are on the ground to-day arranging for the immediate construction of a plant costing upward of \$5,000,000. This means a vast increase in population, and a great augmentation for the benefit of all industries of every detail pertaining to rail and water communication.

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A CORRECTION.

In the last issue of THE ENTERPRISE an editorial article appeared entitled, "Republicans, Organize Taft-Sherman Clubs." This article was not written by the editor of the paper, nor with his knowledge or consent. It should not have been admitted to the columns of THE ENTERPRISE, save and except as a communication expressing the opinions of a correspondent only.

TAFT AND SHERMAN.

THE ENTERPRISE is a Republican newspaper. From its first issue, nearly thirteen years ago, it has been a firm advocate of the policies of the National Republican party. Believing a continuance of these policies, especially the policy of protection to American industries, is for the best interests of the people of this Republic, THE ENTERPRISE will, in this campaign, advocate with such ability as it can command, the election of Taft and Sherman as President and Vice-President of the United States.

As the campaign progresses this paper will, to the best of its ability, through its editorial columns, set forth the reasons for urging the success of the candidates and principles of the National Republican party.

While we sincerely believe that the maintenance of the Republican policies is for the best interests of all the people, we shall not attempt to advance the cause we advocate by abuse of those who see fit to differ with us, nor by misstatement or misrepresentation of the questions at issue. We shall instead endeavor to present plain facts, and appeal to the reason and intelligence of our readers, rather than to their prejudices and passions.

Having thus outlined briefly our policy and purposes, so far as the editorial columns of THE ENTERPRISE are concerned in this campaign, we will say further, that we

are in favor of free speech and a free press.

In view of the fact that THE ENTERPRISE is the only newspaper published in the First Township, and believing in fair play and full and free expression of opinion upon all matters of public interest, one or more columns of THE ENTERPRISE is set apart and will be open to anyone who has anything to say upon matters, measures or men of interest to the public. The only condition attaching to publication of communications designed for this free space, is that the name of the writer shall, invariably, accompany the communication, not for publication, but as a matter of good faith, and that such communications shall not be made the vehicle for personal attack upon, or abuse of anyone.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN HAS SOMETHING TO SAY

To the Editor of THE ENTERPRISE—Sir: The Republican County Committee in and for San Mateo County met in the offices of Ross & Ross in Redwood City on the 6th day of the present month.

The petition of a large number of the Republican voters of the First Township of San Mateo County was read, declaring that the Republican voters have an inalienable right to a direct voice in the nomination of all candidates to be voted for by the Republican electors, and asking that primary elections be called at once in all the precincts in San Mateo County, and a county convention be held immediately thereafter to name the delegates to the State convention, to elect these delegates thus elected through the direct voice of the Republican voters, may nominate in district convention, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Fifth District and the Republican candidate for State Senator in this (joint) Senatorial District, and that later these same delegates or others chosen in like manner at later primaries, should nominate candidates for the local offices of Superior Judge, Assemblyman and Supervisors. Arguments were made in support of the petition by representative Republicans of the First Township and by Mayor Merrill of Redwood City.

The petition was laid upon the table and the committee then proceeded to appoint the eight delegates to the Republican State Convention which will meet in Oakland on August 27th and these eight delegates will not only name, or have a voice in naming the Republican Presidential electors, but will also have a voice in nominating the Republican candidate for Congress and for State Senator. In keeping with the arbitrary denial of the rights of Republican voters in the election of the eight delegates to the State convention, the committee with remarkable modesty and self denial, named three who are not members of the committee, viz., J. H. Coleman of San Mateo, W. J. Martin of South San Francisco and Ben S. Green of Colma. Of the seven members of the committee only five were chosen as delegates, whereas the entire seven might as well have been named, leaving but one to come from outside. One of the two committeemen thus left out in the cold is, it is understood, "programmed" for the place of "Republican candidate for joint Senator" and the spectacle involved of appointing himself a delegate as secretary and member of the Republican County Committee, and then as delegate nominating himself as the Republican candidate for joint Senator, was too much for even this committee and Supervisor Coleman was named. Notwithstanding the fact that it is regarded as highly improper for a Federal officer to seek or to accept such a position as that of a delegate, of the eight delegates chosen two are U. S. Postmasters, one at Redwood City, the other at Colma.

The only defense, or rather the only

excuse offered by the committee for its action, was that the committee intended in time to call a county convention and primary elections to choose delegates to nominate the local ticket, i. e., a Superior Judge, an Assemblyman for the 53d Assembly District, composed of San Mateo County, and a Supervisor in the First, Third and Fourth Townships and inferentially a new County Central Committee. It seemed to be the unanimous opinion of the committee that the privilege of nominating the petty officials was all the party voters had any right to claim. That the choice of the nominees of the party for the greater places, for President and Vice-President, for Congress, for Governor and other State officers for the Supreme and Appellate Courts and even for a joint State Senator, was too much for the common ordinary Republican voter and was vested in and could be best exercised by County Central Committeemen.

I feel that I cannot conclude this communication better than by quoting from an editorial upon this same subject, which appeared in THE ENTERPRISE in 1896, just twelve years ago, entitled "They will bear watching." "The primary election is the very fountain head and source of all power in the political organization, and as essential to its life, as is the blood to that of the physical body. It is a fundamental principle embodied in that famous declaration so dear to free men, 'that governments derive their just powers from the consent of the government.'"

Any departure from this principle is a direct violation of the rights of the individual, and must prove destructive of party organization.

The selfish schemers engaged in the infamous plot to overthrow the party primary will well bear watching. When they lay their unclean hands upon this ark of the political covenant, they become traitors to their party and enemies of free government.

Should the time come when the party primary can be eliminated from party procedure the end of party organization draws near, and it is time to prepare its obsequies."

Respectfully yours,
 A REGULAR REPUBLICAN SINCE 1860.

DEDICATORY SERVICES AT BURLINGAME

The Dedicatory services of the First M. E. Church at Burlingame took place last Sunday, the Rt. Rev. J. W. Hamilton, D. D., LL. D., officiating. Services were held at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 7:30 p. m. Large congregations were in attendance.

The church is of the Mission style and cost \$3000, all provided for. The church is served by the Rev. E. B. Lytle, D. D., and is growing rapidly.

VISTA GRANDE INCORPORATION GETS SETBACK.

The incorporation plans of residents of Vista Grande received a setback Monday when a number of the leaders of the incorporation idea appeared at the court house at Redwood City, but found their description of the proposed boundaries took in a large territory but left out the town of Vista Grande. The error was discovered at the last moment and the petition for incorporation was not filed with the supervisors.

SELBY SMELTER CLOSED

The smelter at Selby, Contra Costa County, has been ordered to stop running by the injunction process. This goes to show that courts always have the power to close smelters when they do damage to the surrounding territory.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining on hand thirty days preceding Aug. 4, 1908, E. E. CUNNINGHAM, P. M.

DOMESTIC

Bonturi, O.; Braneschi, Enrico; Errecart, R.; Prefetti, Amadeo; Sullivan, Chas. J.; Vallon, F. H.

FOREIGN

Biosotti, Paolo; Lacalle, J. B.; Matto, Betno; Pucciano, Alaide; Rivolta, Emilio; Tehringer, Franz.

FIVE LIVES LOST IN AUTO ACCIDENT.

Three generations in one family were suddenly wiped out of existence in a terrible automobile accident which occurred Monday in the hills back of Carolan's Crossways Farm, near Burlingame.

Mrs. Thomas A. McCormick with her daughters Mrs. Ira O'Brien, Misses Clara and Ethel McCormick and two grandchildren, Ira and Robert O'Brien, and Miss Emma MacCauley were in an automobile belonging to Thomas A. McCormick, Miss Ethel acting as chauffeur. They had been riding around the grounds of Prince Poinatowski and had started down a steep and crooked road when the brake broke and the machine got beyond the control of the girl driver. Although she managed to steer it safely around many small curves, a sharp turn combined with the speed at which the machine was traveling was too much for her strength and the machine went over the bank thirty-five feet into the creek, throwing out the party, only two of whom escaped with their lives. When the auto left the road it struck a large sycamore tree and Miss MacCauley was thrown into the branches and she was found hanging there unconscious with her arms broken and terribly bruised. Ethel, the driver, miraculously escaped with sprains and bruises, but the rest of the party were lying around her dead and dying. Mrs. McCormick, the grandmother, struck upon her head and was instantly killed. Miss Clara also died where she fell. Robert, the six month old baby was killed by striking a stone wall, its poor little body horribly mangled.

Mrs. O'Brien, the mother, received internal injuries of which she died a few hours later, and Ira, three years old, died at five o'clock in the evening at the Guild hospital in San Mateo to which place his mother and himself had been taken.

The screams of Miss Ethel when she saw the wreck, brought assistance, and the wounded were taken to San Mateo, while the coroner removed those in whom life was extinct.

The accident, which could not be traced to speed mania, for Miss Ethel was a competent and cool chauffeur, but was caused by the failure of the brakes to hold, has bereft Mr. McCormick of wife and two daughters, while the entire family of Mr. O'Brien was killed. Mrs. O'Brien, was a Miss McCormick before her marriage to Ira O'Brien, who is the owner of the Keystone Plating Works, San Francisco, and Ira and Robert O'Brien were their only offspring.

Miss Clara McCormick was a graduate of St. Rose's Convent and 22 years of age. Her sister Ethel graduated from the San Mateo High School, and is 18 years of age.

Miss MacCauley lives with her family at 1031 Buchanan street, San Francisco. She is 26 years of age and a friend of Mrs. O'Brien, and only a few days ago went to San Mateo for a two weeks vacation.

The funeral of the victims of the accident took place last Wednesday at San Mateo and the interment was in Holy Cross cemetery.

FRATERNAL DIRECTORY

TIPPECANOE TRIBE No. 111, I. O. R. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 p. m. in Metropolitan Hall. Visiting Bros. welcome.

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56, U. A. O. D., meets first and third Monday nights in Metropolitan Hall.

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Miss J. Sands, Secretary.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO.

Public Administrator's Report.

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California: H. G. Plymire, Public Administrator of the County of San Mateo, State of California, respectfully makes to the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California, under oath, this return of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands from the 6th day of January, 1908, at twelve o'clock noon, to the 6th day of July, 1908, pursuant to the provisions of section 1736 of the Code of Civil Procedure of the State of California, said report being as follows, to-wit:

1908	Names of Estates	Approximate value of Estate	Moneys Received	Property, exclusive of Money on Hand	Money on Deposit	Money in Savings Banks	Funeral Expenses	Distributed to Heirs
January 29th	Johanna Symon	\$615.15	\$615.15	None	None	None	Undetermined	
January 29th	C. J. Jones	\$2.80	\$2.80	None	None	None	Undetermined	
January 29th	Edmund Walsh	\$5.00	\$5.00	None	None	None	Undetermined	
January 29th	Frank Sawyer	Nothing	Nothing	None	None	None	Undetermined	
March 12th	Julius Kuhlmann	\$667.70	\$667.70	None	None	None	Undetermined	

That the Fees and Expenses in all the above mentioned Estates are as yet undetermined and unpaid.

State of California, } ss.
 County of San Mateo, }

H. G. Plymire, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the duly elected, qualified and acting Public Administrator of the County of San Mateo, State of California; that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of all estates of decedents which have come into his hands from the 6th day of January, 1908, up to and including the 7th day of July, 1908, the value thereof, and the money which has come into his hands from every such estate, and what he has done with it, and the amount of his fees and expenses, incurred in each estate, and the balance in each estate remaining in his hands.

That he is not interested in the expenditures of any kind made on account of any of the said estates and that he is not associated in business with anyone who is interested in such expenditures.

H. G. PLYMIRE,
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1908.

(SEAL) HARRY E. STYLES,
 Notary Public in and for the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Harry E. Styles and James T. O'Keefe,
 Attorneys for Administrator.

IN THE MATTER OF THE INCORPORATION OF THE CITY OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO.

Resolution.

Be It Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California: That, Whereas, on Monday, the 20th day of April, A. D. 1908, at the hour of ten (10) o'clock A. M., a petition, affidavit and notice, was regularly presented to this Board of Supervisors, which said petition asked that certain portion of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in said petition described and defined, should be incorporated as a municipal corporation of the sixth class, to be known as the City of South San Francisco; this Board then and there duly received, read and considered the same, and at a regular meeting and which said petition was signed by more than fifty (50) qualified electors of said County of San Mateo, State of California, residing within the territory in said petition described, and within the limits of the territory hereinafter established, and the legal boundaries of the proposed municipal corporation of the City of South San Francisco; and which said petition set forth and particularly described the proposed boundaries of the municipal corporation therein prayed to be established, and stated that the number of inhabitants of the territory in said petition described, and the number of inhabitants of the territory in said petition described, as nearly and accurately as could be ascertained by said petitioners, and prayed that the same be incorporated under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the organization and government of Municipal Corporations," approved March 13th, 1883, and Acts amendatory thereto; and said affidavit to said petition was made, subscribed and sworn to, by three qualified electors residing within the said proposed municipal limits, and that each of the signers to said petition was a qualified elector of the said County of San Mateo, and the State of California, and a resident within the limits of such proposed municipal corporation; and that the several persons whose names are subscribed to said petition, are the same persons who have subscribed their said respective names thereto; that the signatures of said petitioners were and are genuine; that at least fifty (50) of the signers to said petition are and were at the time when they signed the said petition, electors of said County of San Mateo, and State of California, and resided within the boundaries described in said petition, and that the territory therein described contained more than five hundred (500) inhabitants; and that the statements and allegations in said petition made and contained, were and are true; and the said petition was duly set forth on Monday, the 20th day of April, 1908, at the hour of ten (10) o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as the signers thereof could be heard, the said petition, affidavit and notice would be presented to this Board of Supervisors, in open regular meeting of this Board at Redwood City, in said County of San Mateo, for hearing and consideration by and before this Board:

And, Whereas, said petition, affidavit and notice, was duly presented to this Board, as stated and set forth in said notice, and were thereupon duly read, received and filed, and considered by this Board as herein more fully set forth; and are hereby specially referred to and made a part of this Resolution, as fully as if the same were herein fully set forth at length.

And Whereas, There were also presented to and filed with this Board, at the same time that said petition, affidavit and notice were presented, the affidavit of E. I. Woodman, the principal clerk of the printer and publisher of "The Enterprise," a weekly newspaper printed and published in the County of San Mateo, and within the limits of said proposed municipal corporation, depositing and setting forth that a true copy of said petition, affidavit and notice had been regularly published for at least two weeks immediately preceding the time at which the same was presented to this Board as afore said; to wit: on the 4th day of April, 1908; on the 11th day of April, 1908; and on the 18th day of April, 1908; and in each and every issue and copy of said newspaper printed and published on said days:

And Whereas, Thereupon a partial hearing and discussion of said petition was had by this Board, and thereafter this Board did continue the further hearing of said petition and matter on the 4th day of May, 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M.;

And Whereas, On said 4th day of May, 1908, this Board proceeded with the hearing of said petition and matter, and thereupon continued the hearing of the same to the 18th day of May, 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day; and said matter and petition being regularly continued by adjournment on said last mentioned day, and from day to day until the 20th day of May, 1908.

And Whereas, On the said 20th day of May, 1908, the hearing of said petition and matter was duly continued to the first day of June, 1908, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said date:

And Whereas, On said last mentioned date and hour, this Board proceeded with the hearing of said petition and matter, and with the sworn testimony was received, and several witnesses examined, and oral and documentary evidence introduced and heard, supporting the allegations and matters set forth and contained in said petition, affidavit and notice; and thereafter the further hearing of said petition and matter was continued to the adjourned meeting of this Board, held June 2nd, 1908, on which last mentioned date the further hearing of said petition and matter, after consideration thereof was duly continued until the 15th day of June, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on said date:

And Whereas, On said 15th day of June, 1908, after hearing had, and due investigation made, this Board did find that the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation as set forth in said petition were in fact as described and not satisfactory to this Board, and did thereupon order and direct the County Surveyor of the County of San Mateo, to ascertain and report a description of the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation, and did continue the further hearing of said petition and matter to the next regular meeting of this Board, to wit: to July 6th, 1908, at ten o'clock A. M.;

And Whereas, On said 6th day of July, 1908, the hearing of said petition and matter was continued by this Board to the 20th day of July, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., and on the 18th day of July, 1908, the County Surveyor of the County of San Mateo, did return to this Board,

and file with the Clerk hereof, a report and description of the proposed boundaries of the City of South San Francisco, ascertained and made by him in pursuance of said order, and with the aforesaid order of this Board, together with a map or plat of the territory included within said boundaries:

And Whereas, This Board at its first regular meeting held after the filing of said report and map, to wit: on the 20th day of July, 1908, did direct notice to be published in a newspaper published in the County of San Mateo, that said report would be acted upon at the next regular meeting of this Board, to wit: on August 3rd, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day; and did further direct that the further hearing of said petition and matter be continued to said last mentioned date and time:

And Whereas, The said matter, and the said report and petition coming now on regularly for hearing and consideration by this Board, and appearing from the affidavit of D. E. O'Keefe, the printer and publisher of the Times-Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the County of San Mateo, that the said last mentioned notice had been published in each and every copy and issue of said newspaper printed and published on the 25th day of July, 1908, and the 1st day of August, 1908, being all the issues and days of publication of said paper subsequent to said 20th day of July, 1908, and prior to this day of hearing, was duly presented to this Board, and filed with the Clerk hereof:

And Whereas, There has also been presented to this Board, and filed with the Clerk hereof, the affidavit of E. I. Woodman, principal clerk of the publisher and printer of "The Enterprise," a newspaper printed and published in the County of San Mateo, and within the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation, setting forth that said last mentioned notice, had been published in each and every issue and copy of said paper printed and published on said 25th day of July, 1908, and the 1st day of August, 1908, being all the issues and days of publication of said paper subsequent to said July 20th, 1908, and prior to this date:

And Whereas, It appears, that pursuant to the said order of this Board, the Clerk of this Board has duly given notice by publication as aforesaid, that said report of said County Surveyor would be acted upon at this meeting of this Board, and that said notice has been duly published as required by law and the order of this Board:

And Whereas, This Board has this day fully considered and heard said report and petition and received further sworn testimony and evidence in relation to the matters pertaining to the incorporation of said proposed municipal corporation of the City of South San Francisco, and the establishing and fixing of the boundaries thereof, and all parties interested have been given an opportunity to be heard thereon:

Now Therefore, It Is Resolved, Ascertained and Determined by this Board, that said petition was duly and regularly signed and subscribed by more than fifty (50) qualified electors of said County of San Mateo, and State of California, and that the boundaries within the boundaries mentioned in said petition, and within the boundaries hereinafter defined and set forth; that a copy of said petition, affidavit and notice, was duly and regularly printed and published in a newspaper printed and published in said County of San Mateo, and within the boundaries mentioned in said petition, and as hereinafter defined and set forth, to wit: In "The Enterprise," for more than two weeks successively next preceding said 20th day of April, 1908; that the number of inhabitants residing within the boundaries mentioned in said petition, and within the boundaries hereinafter defined and established, was and still is more than five hundred (500) and less than three thousand (3000); and the number of inhabitants residing within the boundaries ascertained and determined by this Board as the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation is twenty-seven hundred (2700).

That no portion of the territory within the boundaries mentioned in said petition or within the boundaries hereinafter defined, established and set forth, is a part of or is included within any existing municipal corporation.

That the said boundaries given in said petition, and as reported by said County Surveyor, should be modified as hereinafter described, and that this Board deems such modification to be necessary and that the same is necessary, and that as so modified, the said boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation will be as hereinafter defined, established and set forth:

That all the acts and proceedings in reference to said petition and in said matter have been and are regular and according to law; and

And, that at this, the final hearing of said petition and said report of said County Surveyor, and in said matter, that this Board of Supervisors does hereby ratify the report of said County Surveyor as hereinafter modified, and does hereby modify and change the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation mentioned in said petition, and does hereby establish and define the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation, to wit:

The City of South San Francisco, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and declare the legal boundaries thereof to be as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point of the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose, where the southeasterly line of the 90.11 acre tract of land formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road, and running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Tomaso Cresta 90.11 acre tract to the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate; running thence southeasterly along the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate to the northwesterly corner of the 440.91 acre tract of land of the Southern Pacific Railroad; running thence northeasterly along the northerly boundary line of the said 440.91 acre tract of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company and along the northerly boundary line of Peck's subdivision of South San Francisco, to the easterly line of San Bruno road; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of San Bruno road to the northwesterly corner of lot number 18 of section 15, township 3 south, range 5 west; running thence due east along the northerly line of lots numbers 24, 23 and 22 of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west, thence due east to the line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo; thence running southeasterly along the said line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo, to a point due east of the extension of the northern boundary line of section

36, township 3 south, range 5 west; running thence due west to the northwesterly corner of the Water Front and Tide Land Company's 80 acre tract of said section 36; running thence due west along the north section lines of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of said township 3 south, range 5 west to the easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence northerly along the easterly line of the San Bruno road 38 chains more or less, to a point where the northerly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, if extended northeasterly would intersect the said easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, and the southerly line of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company, to the westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad; thence northwesterly along the said westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad to the northwesterly corner of the lands of the New California Jockey Club, known as "Tanforan Park;" thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of said "Tanforan Park" to the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said main county road one mile, thence crossing said road to its westerly line, and running northwesterly along its westerly line to a point where the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road; thence crossing said road to the place of beginning; provided however, that the following described land and territory is not intended to be included and the same shall be excluded therefrom, to wit: The above described, nor within the corporate limits of the said City of South San Francisco; but is especially excepted and excluded therefrom and from the jurisdiction of said City of South San Francisco, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the dividing line between sections 22 and 23, township 3 south, range 5 west, M. D. M., said point being 150 feet north of the granite monument set 10 chains north of section corner common to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27, township 3 south, range 5 west, and running thence north 84 degrees 58 minutes west 760.33 feet from the granite monument which is set for the most northerly corner of the lands of the Western Meat Company, thence north 37 degrees 47 minutes east 1201.07 feet, thence north 61 degrees 13 minutes east 242.2 feet to the line of the Selby Smelting and Lead Company, thence easterly along said southerly line of said right of way to the dividing line between sections 22 and 23, township 3 south, range 5 west, thence north to a point that is distant south 84 degrees 58 minutes west 760.33 feet from the granite monument which is set for the most northerly corner of the lands of the Western Meat Company, thence north 37 degrees 47 minutes east 1201.07 feet, thence north 61 degrees 13 minutes east 242.2 feet to the line of the Selby Smelting and Lead Company, thence easterly along said southerly line of said right of way to the dividing line between the counties of San Mateo and Alameda, and running thence easterly along the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract of land formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road, and running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Tomaso Cresta 90.11 acre tract to the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate; running thence southeasterly along the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate to the northwesterly corner of the 440.91 acre tract of land of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company; running thence easterly and northeasterly along the northerly boundary line of the said 440.91 acre tract of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company and along the northerly boundary line of Peck's Subdivision of South San Francisco, to the easterly line of San Bruno road; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of San Bruno road to the northwesterly corner of lot number 18 of section 15, township 3 south, range 5 west; running thence due east along the northerly line of lots Nos. 17 and 18 of said section 15, and along the northerly line of lots Nos. 24, 23 and 22 of section 14, and to the center of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west the line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo; thence running southerly along the said line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo, to a point due east of the extension of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west to the northwesterly corner of the Water Front and Tide Land Company's 80 acre tract of said section 36; running thence due west along the north section line of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of said township 3 south, range 5 west to the easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence northerly along the easterly line of the San Bruno road 38 chains more or less, to a point where the northerly line of the Fifth Addition to San Bruno Park, if extended northeasterly would intersect the said easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, and the southerly line of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company, to the westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad; thence northwesterly along the said westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad to the northwesterly corner of the lands of the New California Jockey Club, known as "Tanforan Park;" thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of said "Tanforan Park" to the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said main county road one mile; thence crossing said road to its westerly line, and running northwesterly along its westerly line to a point where the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road; thence crossing said road to the place of beginning; provided however, that the following described land and territory is not intended to be included and the same is not included within the territory above described, nor within the corporate limits of the said City of South San Francisco; but is especially excepted and excluded therefrom and from the jurisdiction of said City of South San Francisco, to wit:

And, Be It Further Resolved, That the name of such proposed municipal corporation shall be and is the following, to wit: City of South San Francisco.

And Be It Further Resolved, That an election shall be held within the said proposed municipal corporation, to wit: Within that certain territory herebefore described and defined, on Thursday, the third (3rd) day of September, 1908, for the purpose of determining whether the same shall become incorporated; and for the election of persons to fill the offices of said proposed municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the sixth class, as provided in said Act of the Legislature of the State of California, herebefore referred to, and the acts amendatory thereof.

And Be It Further Resolved, That the territory included within the legal boundaries of the said proposed municipal corporation, as established by this Board, shall constitute one election precinct, and the name of said precinct shall be and is hereby selected and designated by this Board of Supervisors as a polling place, and where said election shall and will be held, to wit: Hose House No. One (1), on east side of Linden Avenue, between Grand and Linden Avenues, the same being within the aforesaid limits and legal boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation.

And, Be It Further Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby selected and appointed by this Board to act as election officers for said election, and the names of the same shall be published for at least two weeks prior to such election in "The Enterprise," a newspaper printed and published within the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation as herein established, and as originally given in said petition. Said notice shall require the voters to cast ballots, which shall contain the words "For incorporation," or "Against incorporation," or words equivalent thereto, and also the names of persons voted for to fill the various elective municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the sixth class, as provided in said Act of the Legislature of the State of California, herebefore referred to, and the acts amendatory thereof, to wit:

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And, Be It Further Resolved, That the notice of said election shall particularly describe the boundaries as established by this Board, and shall state the name of such proposed corporation, and the number of inhabitants ascertained to reside therein, and shall be published for at least two weeks prior to such election in "The Enterprise," a newspaper printed and published within the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation as herein established, and as originally given in said petition. Said notice shall require the voters to cast ballots, which shall contain the words "For incorporation," or "Against incorporation," or words equivalent thereto, and also the names of persons voted for to fill the various elective municipal offices prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the sixth class, as provided in said Act of the Legislature of the State of California, herebefore referred to, and the acts amendatory thereof, to wit: Five (5) trustees; one (1) clerk; one (1) treasurer; one (1) marshal.

And, Be It Further Resolved, That said election shall be conducted in accordance with the general election

laws of the State of California, and no person shall be entitled to vote thereat unless he shall be a qualified elector of the County of San Mateo, enrolled upon the general register thereof, and shall have resided within the limits of such proposed corporation for at least sixty days next preceding such election.

And, Be It Further Resolved, That notice of said election shall be given as required by law, and as herein provided, and the Clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to give and publish notice thereof in the form hereinafter recited and prescribed for at least two weeks prior to said election in "The Enterprise," a weekly newspaper printed and published within the boundaries of said proposed municipal corporation as herein established, which notice of election shall be in the words and figures following, to wit:

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

To be held in the proposed municipal corporation, City of South San Francisco, for the purpose of determining whether the same shall become incorporated.

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, pursuant to the Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An act to provide for the organization, incorporation and government of municipal corporations," approved March 13, 1883, (Statutes of 1883, page 93), and the acts amendatory thereof, and to the resolution of this Board, ratifying the report of the County Surveyor establishing the boundaries of the City of South San Francisco, and directing that notice be given of an election to be held in such proposed corporation, for the purpose of determining whether the same shall become incorporated, adopted August 3rd, 1908, and pursuant to the law in such cases made and provided, that a special election will be held within the limits and legal boundaries of the proposed municipal corporation, City of South San Francisco, as such limits and legal boundaries have been heretofore duly and legally established by this Board and as the same are hereafter described, on Thursday, the third day of September, A. D. 1908, for the purpose of determining whether such proposed City of South San Francisco shall become incorporated, and for the purpose of electing the various elective municipal officers prescribed by law for municipal corporations of the sixth class, to which class such proposed City of South San Francisco will belong, and notice is further given:

1. That the territory proposed to be incorporated as the City of South San Francisco, is all that certain portion of the County of San Mateo, State of California, situated, included and described within the limits and legal boundaries hereinafter defined, and that the aforesaid limits and legal boundaries of such proposed municipal corporation are the following, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose, where the southeasterly line of the 90.11 acre tract of land formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road, and running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Tomaso Cresta 90.11 acre tract to the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate; running thence southeasterly along the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate to the northwesterly corner of the 440.91 acre tract of land of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company; running thence easterly and northeasterly along the northerly boundary line of the said 440.91 acre tract of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company and along the northerly boundary line of Peck's Subdivision of South San Francisco, to the easterly line of San Bruno road; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of San Bruno road to the northwesterly corner of lot number 18 of section 15, township 3 south, range 5 west; running thence due east along the northerly line of lots Nos. 17 and 18 of said section 15, and along the northerly line of lots Nos. 24, 23 and 22 of section 14, and to the center of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west the line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo; thence running southerly along the said line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo, to a point due east of the extension of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west to the northwesterly corner of the Water Front and Tide Land Company's 80 acre tract of said section 36; running thence due west along the north section line of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of said township 3 south, range 5 west to the easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence northerly along the easterly line of the San Bruno road 38 chains more or less, to a point where the northerly line of the Fifth Addition to San Bruno Park, if extended northeasterly would intersect the said easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, and the southerly line of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company, to the westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad; thence northwesterly along the said westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad to the northwesterly corner of the lands of the New California Jockey Club, known as "Tanforan Park;" thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of said "Tanforan Park" to the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said main county road one mile; thence crossing said road to its westerly line, and running northwesterly along its westerly line to a point where the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road; thence crossing said road to the place of beginning; provided however, that the following described land and territory is not intended to be included and the same is not included within the territory above described, nor within the corporate limits of the said City of South San Francisco; but is especially excepted and excluded therefrom and from the jurisdiction of said City of South San Francisco, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the dividing line between sections 22 and 23, township 3 south, range 5 west, M. D. M., said point being 150 feet north of the granite monument set 10 chains north of section corner common to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27, township 3 south, range 5 west, and running thence north 84 degrees 58 minutes west 760.33 feet from the granite monument which is set for the most northerly corner of the lands of the Western Meat Company, thence north 37 degrees 47 minutes east 1201.07 feet, thence north 61 degrees 13 minutes east 242.2 feet to the line of the Selby Smelting and Lead Company, thence easterly along said southerly line of said right of way to the dividing line between the counties of San Mateo and Alameda, and running thence easterly along the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract of land formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road, and running thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Tomaso Cresta 90.11 acre tract to the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate; running thence southeasterly along the southeasterly line of the lands of the Crocker estate to the northwesterly corner of the 440.91 acre tract of land of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company; running thence easterly and northeasterly along the northerly boundary line of the said 440.91 acre tract of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company and along the northerly boundary line of Peck's Subdivision of South San Francisco, to the easterly line of San Bruno road; running thence northeasterly along the easterly line of San Bruno road to the northwesterly corner of lot number 18 of section 15, township 3 south, range 5 west; running thence due east along the northerly line of lots Nos. 17 and 18 of said section 15, and along the northerly line of lots Nos. 24, 23 and 22 of section 14, and to the center of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west the line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo; thence running southerly along the said line separating the counties of Alameda and San Mateo, to a point due east of the extension of section 14, township 3 south, range 5 west; thence due west to the northwesterly corner of the Water Front and Tide Land Company's 80 acre tract of said section 36; running thence due west along the north section line of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 of said township 3 south, range 5 west to the easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence northerly along the easterly line of the San Bruno road 38 chains more or less, to a point where the northerly line of the Fifth Addition to San Bruno Park, if extended northeasterly would intersect the said easterly line of the San Bruno road; thence southwesterly along the northerly line of the Fifth Addition of San Bruno Park, and the southerly line of the lands of the South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company, to the westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad; thence northwesterly along the said westerly side of the Southern Pacific Railroad to the northwesterly corner of the lands of the New California Jockey Club, known as "Tanforan Park;" thence southwesterly along the northwesterly line of said "Tanforan Park" to the easterly line of the main county road leading from San Francisco to San Jose; thence northwesterly along the easterly line of said main county road one mile; thence crossing said road to its westerly line, and running northwesterly along its westerly line to a point where the southerly line of the 90.11 acre tract, formerly the land of Tomaso Cresta, intersects said road; thence crossing said road to the place of beginning; provided however, that the following described land and territory is not intended to be included and the same is not included within the territory above described, nor within the corporate limits of the said City of South San Francisco; but is especially excepted and excluded therefrom and from the jurisdiction of said City of South San Francisco, to wit:

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FINED A FRANC.

What That Meant to an American Who Was Living in Paris.

When you are fined a franc in Paris it means that you pay 12 francs 73 centimes, or just over half a sovereign. This is the only conclusion to which one can come after reading the curious experience of an American citizen who is staying in Paris to complete the education of his sons. He lives in an apartment near the Arc de Triomphe, and the other morning one of his servants committed the imprudence of shaking a carpet out of the window after 9 o'clock. A lynx eyed constable saw her and immediately climbed the stairs, rang the bell, entered the apartment and drew up a summons against the tenant. The American was called and gave his name.

"I did not know it was a breach of the law," he said. "But as I have broken it I must pay. How much is it?"

"You will be fined 1 franc," replied the policeman.

"There you are," answered the American, and he held out the coin.

But the "agent" refused to take it. "Later on," he remarked as he withdrew, "you will be summoned before the justice of the peace."

Some days later the delinquent was invited to appear before the "Juge de paix" and obeyed the summons. He was obliged to wait three hours in an antechamber. Then he was admitted.

"Do you admit," asked the magistrate, "having broken the law?"

"I do," was the reply.

"Good. You are fined 1 franc."

"There you are, then." And the American again held out the franc.

But the magistrate would have none of it.

"You will pay the sum later. You will be advised when. You may withdraw."

The American took his departure, considerably surprised at so many formalities in connection with a franc fine. A few days later he received a stamped paper inviting him to pay, first of all, 1 franc, the amount of his fine, plus 25 centimes, the amount of the decimes, plus 11 francs 48 centimes, the amount of the costs, making in all a total of 12 francs 73 centimes. The American paid, but as he left the police court he remarked:

"In America a law which forced a citizen to pay \$12 when he had only been fined \$1 would be considered a hypocritical and dishonest law. And we would not tolerate it long, you bet!"—London Globe.

HE HAD TO PAY.

Half a Dollar That the Traveling Man Hated to Spend.

"The 50 cents I hated most to spend," said the traveling man, "went to the Canadian Pacific railroad. I don't mind paying for things I get, but this particular expenditure couldn't be indorsed 'for value received.'"

"A number of us got into St. John, N. B., one night just in time to catch the night train for Boston. We got aboard only to learn that the train didn't carry a diner. Now, a long night ride without dinner isn't a pleasant prospect, so we besieged the conductor.

"Why don't you start on the Montreal, which pulls out just ahead of us?" he said. "It carries a diner, and we can pick you up at Frederikton Junction."

"No danger of your passing us?" we asked, and he assured us that he couldn't very well, as there was only one track. So we all piled out after leaving our baggage in our Pullman berths.

"It was surely a fine scheme we thought as we dined at our leisure in the Montreal train. After dinner we sought the nearest smoking compartment in a sleeping car and prepared to wait in comfort for Frederikton Junction.

"Then along comes a much uniformed official and demands 50 cents each for the privilege of eating a meal and having a smoke aboard his train. We explained carefully that we belonged on the other train, had given up the price for Pullman berths, and, furthermore, that we had been sent aboard this train for the sole purpose of getting our dinner. 'Didn't the Canadian Pacific run both trains?' we asked.

"But it was no use. We had to pay."

—Washington Post.

Classified.

One-third of the fools in this country think they can beat the lawyer in expounding the law, one-half think they can beat the doctor at healing the sick, two-thirds of them think they can beat the minister in preaching the gospel, and all of them know that they can beat the editor in running the newspaper.—London Tit-Bits.

"I should never have thought that studying would have cost so much money."

"Yes, father, and if you only knew how little I have studied!"—Judge.

HE SOUGHT DEATH.

The Unfortunate Napoleon III. at the Battle of Sedan.

Sarah Bernhardt mentions in her memoirs that Napoleon III. had two horses shot under him at Sedan. Some having thrown doubt on her statement and denied that the emperor was ever in personal danger at the time, Baron Verly, son of the late colonel of the Cent Gardes, gives what he affirms to be the authentic account of the unhappy sovereign's persistent attempts to court death when he saw that defeat was unavoidable. On Sept. 1, 1870, at 6 o'clock in the morning, Marshal MacMahon, returning wounded to Sedan, met the emperor riding out to Bazelles. Napoleon III. realized that the situation was desperate. He rode slowly out, depressed and thoughtful, under a hail of shot. During an hour he inspected the positions. Bullets rained on his escort. Captain d'Hendecourt was killed a few feet away from the emperor. The latter, deliberately seeking death, alighted, ordered his escort to remain behind an embankment and walked up to a cemetery on a height, where he stayed for another hour, exposed to fire. He mounted again and rode to another part of the field. General de Courson and Captain de Treceux were dangerously wounded by his side, but not a bullet hit him. The emperor at last seemed to despair of meeting his death as he sought it and rode back to Sedan at noon. In the town itself shells fell thick, and while the emperor was riding with his escort up the Grand Rue one burst just in front of him, wounded one of the Cent Gardes and killed the horses of two aids-de-camp. Napoleon III. looked on stolidly, understanding, perhaps, that it was not his fate to die in action. The story that he had two horses killed under him is, therefore, not correct. But there is no doubt that the unfortunate emperor, beaten and ill, a pathetic and tragic figure, did deliberately seek death on the field to escape the disgrace of Sedan which he foresaw.—Paris Letter.

A SERPENT STORY.

Terrifying Experience With a Deadly Lancehead.

The Paris Eclair tells a blood curdling serpent story, the scene of which was the island of Martinique and the dramatis personae Sergeant Legrand and Private Durand and the snake a deadly lancehead.

The soldier had been punished with a night in the cells for some trivial offense, but as the night was very hot the sergeant had left the door open. In the morning at 5 o'clock Legrand went to wake his prisoner and, to his horror, beheld a lancehead snake coiled up and fast asleep on the man's breast.

The sergeant did not lose his presence of mind. He stole noiselessly away, ran to the guard room and, followed by all the men on duty, returned to the cell with a bowl of milk and a tin whistle. Placing the bowl of milk at the entrance to the cell, the sergeant began to play the "Blue Danube." It is needless to remark that the weakness of the lancehead is milk and music. The serpent, which was a six foot specimen, awoke, glided from the soldier's body toward the bowl, but it had no sooner buried its head in its beloved drink than ten cudgels descended on it with terrific force, killing it outright.

The soldier Durand, who was in a swoon, was taken to hospital, where he lay for many days on the verge of madness. He finally recovered and related his horrible experience—how he had awoke in the middle of the night as the serpent was coiling itself on his bare breast and how he had lain there in an agony for hours, not daring to move a muscle.

Durand was sent back to France as soon as he had sufficiently recovered. The only trace of his terrible experience, adds the Eclair, is that his hair is now snow white.

Love's Young Dream.

Another case of the bad boy rudely interrupting love's young dream. A Malate girl and her Romeo sat in close proximity on the couch in the drawing room lost to the world. They were brought back from Eden by her little brother, who, like many of his kind, makes it a practice to butt in at the wrong time. He walked into the room, planted himself in front of the young man and asked:

"Was you ever tied to a fish line?" "I certainly was not," was the reply. "Well," responded the boy, "I heard pa tell ma last night that you'd make a good sinker."—Manila Gossip.

Shameless.

Persons belonging to the higher walks of life are to be seen promenading in short jackets and chimneypot hats without the slightest symptom of awkwardness or shame.—London Tailor and Cutter.

Half of our diseases are in our minds, and the other half are in our houses.—Ernest Seton Thompson.

Notice of Sale of Franchise.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of July, 1908, Theodore C. Schwerin filed with the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, a written application for the following franchise and privilege, to-wit: a franchise and privilege for the term of fifty (50) years from and after the date of granting same, to construct and operate upon Walbridge Street and upon Milliken Street (also called San Bruno Road), public streets and roads in said County of San Mateo, a street railroad to be operated by electricity and horse power, and to erect poles and wires along said roads and streets for transmitting electric power along and upon said roads and streets for the purpose of said street railroad; also for a franchise and privilege for the same period of time, permitting and authorizing the construction and operation upon said roads and streets for the said period of fifty (50) years, a street railroad of standard gauge and width to-wit: four (4) feet eight and one-half (8½) inches with double tracks and necessary turnouts; said tracks to be constructed upon said roads and streets so that there will be a distance of five (5) feet six and one-quarter (6¼) inches from the center line of each track to the center line of said roads and streets, and a strip of land eleven (11) feet in width on either side of the center line of said roads and streets, upon which will be constructed said several and respective tracks.

Said application is made as aforesaid for the franchise and privilege hereinbefore mentioned, upon and along said roads and streets, commencing on said Walbridge Street in said County of San Mateo at the point of junction of said County of San Mateo with the City and County of San Francisco, and thence along the line of said Walbridge Street in an easterly direction a distance of three thousand one hundred and fifty (3,150) feet, more or less, to the center line of Milliken Street (also called San Bruno Road), thence in a northerly direction along the line of said Milliken Street (also called San Bruno Road) one thousand four hundred and twenty-five (1,425) feet, more or less, to the junction of the County of San Mateo with the City and County of San Francisco.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered on said 6th day of July, 1908, notice is hereby given that said Board of Supervisors determined in their discretion to advertise the fact of said application together with a statement that it is proposed to grant the said franchise and privilege, and notice is therefore hereby given that bids will be received for such franchise by said Board of Supervisors, at any time between the first publication of this notice and the 10th day of August, 1908, at ten (10) o'clock a. m.

Notice is further given that it is proposed to sell said franchise and privilege hereinbefore mentioned, for the term of fifty (50) years, and that the route to be traversed by said proposed street railroad is as hereinbefore mentioned.

Notice is further hereby given that sealed bids for the sale of said franchise and privilege will be received by said Board of Super-

visors up to the hour of ten (10) o'clock a. m. of the 10th day of August, 1908, and that the successful bidder and his assigns must, during the life of said franchise, pay to the County of San Mateo two (2) per cent of the gross annual receipts of the person, partnership or corporation to whom the franchise and privilege aforesaid is awarded, arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise and privilege; provided, however, that no percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of the said franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually, and in the event said payment is not made said franchise will be forfeited.

Notice is further hereby given that the said franchise and privilege will be struck off, sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor; provided only that at the time of the opening of said bids any responsible firm or corporation present or represented may bid for said franchise or privilege, a sum not less than ten (10) per cent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten (10) per cent by any other responsible bidder and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Supervisors to the highest bidder therefor, in gold coin of the United States. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Notice is also hereby given that each sealed bid presented for the purchase of said franchise and privilege shall be accompanied with cash or a certified check payable to the Treasurer of the said County of San Mateo, for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bids shall be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith, and the successful bidder shall deposit at least ten per cent of the amount of his bid with the Clerk of said County before the franchise shall be struck off to him.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Board of San Mateo, this 6th day of July, 1908.

JOS. H. NASH,
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This Idol Has Been Worshipped About Two Thousand Years, and His National Temple Is on the Sands of Puri—The Three Monster Cars.

If I were asked to describe India the first remark that would spring from my lips would be, "It is a land of idols." It would be impossible to compute the number of idols that there must be at the present time in India. The Hindoos pretend to have 333,000,000 gods, and these are represented by innumerable idols, so that we are quite bewildered with the thought of taking the census of the idols of India. The population of the whole Indian empire is now about 300,000,000, and possibly the country contains ten times as many idols as people.

Benares is the great center of the idol making business, though in all parts of India the trade flourishes. Potters the day through may be seen in the sacred city molding images of clay for temporary use. Sculptors also may be found producing representatives of the gods in stone or marble. Carpenters, moreover, make great wooden idols for the temples, and workers in metal—goldsmiths, copper-smiths and brass workers—turn out more or less highly finished specimens in their respective metals.

When speaking of idols it should be borne in mind that the images turned out by the potter, sculptor, carver or manufacturer are not considered sacred or fit to be worshipped until certain mystic words have been uttered over them by a priest. The ceremony of "the giving of life," as it is called, to the image is a very solemn affair, and when it is done the idol is regarded as holy and must ever afterward be approached and treated with the utmost reverence.

Out of the many millions of so called gods in India, all of whom are counted worthy of worship, three are regarded as specially sacred and form the Hindoo triad or trinity. They are respectively Brahma, Vishnu and Siva. Of those it is stated the second person of the trinity only has been represented on this earth by human incarnations. Through one or all of these gods the Hindoos believe they may obtain salvation. Brahma represents the way of salvation by wisdom, Vishnu by faith and Siva by works. It is immaterial which method is adopted, as they all lead to the same goal.

Juggernaut is perhaps the most famous name among all the Hindoo idols, inasmuch as his fame has gone forth into every land. His temple is situated on the sandy shores of Orissa, washed by the wild waves of the bay of Bengal. The worship of Juggernaut dates back nearly 2,000 years, and Orissa has been the holy land of the Hindoos from that time till the present day.

Sir William Hunter, who was one of the greatest authorities on things East Indian, says in a wonderfully graphic description of the temple of Juggernaut: "On the inhospitable sands of Puri, a place of swamps and inundations, the Hindoo religion and Hindoo superstition have stood at bay for eighteen centuries against the world. Here is the national temple whither the people flock to worship from every province of India. There is the gate of heaven whither thousands of pilgrims come to die, lulled to this last sleep by the roar of the eternal ocean."

Well, I saw on one occasion that marvelous sight, the dragging of Juggernaut's car and the cars of his brother and sister. The three idols are inseparable, and ugly things they are, being nothing but huge logs of wood coarsely fashioned into human shape, but without arms or legs.

Juggernaut's car stands forty-one feet high and has fourteen enormous wheels. The other two cars are just a little smaller. The great cars have to be dragged a certain distance—half a mile or more from the temple—and the god will not allow horses or elephants to undertake the work, but calls upon his faithful worshippers to do it themselves. Immense ropes, or rather, cables, are attached to the cars, and at the word of command from the priests thousands of men and even women and children rush forward and seize the ropes and range themselves in order and the next moment are straining and pulling at the cumbersome conveyances, which at length move with a heavy, creaking noise.

Never shall I forget the sight. The road was filled with tens of thousands of lookers-on, all wild with excitement, and the fanatics who held the ropes were dragging the cars along with frenzied zeal. Every now and then there would be a stop that the men

might rest, I supposed, but instead of resting they took to jumping in the air and to whirling themselves around like dancing dervishes and shouting at the top of their breath: "Victory! Victory to Juggernaut!"

Once on a time infatuated worshippers would throw themselves under the wheels of the mighty car that they might be crushed to death, counting it a privilege and a joy thus to perish. Some might do it today if the paternal British government did not provide against such catastrophes by taking all due precaution.—John J. Pool, E. D., F. R. G. S., in Los Angeles Times.

WON ON A BLUFF.

The Way One Prosperous Merchant Got His Start In Business.

There is a prosperous merchant in Chicago today who owes his success to his donation of a \$5,000 organ to a church at a time when he didn't have money enough to buy a hand organ. This donation was a case of bluff pure and simple, but the bluff worked and resulted in the subsequent wealth of the lucky bluffer.

John Smith was seeking capital to start in business for himself, but as he had no security worth speaking of he could not borrow the money he needed.

When he had tried every person he could think of who would be likely to have the necessary cash and the inclination to lend it and had been turned down, he conceived the idea of presenting his church with an organ.

Young Napoleon John Smith therefore ordered his organ and allowed the future to look out for itself. The manufacturers of the organ never thought of questioning the financial standing of the philanthropist who was handing out \$5,000 organs and agreed to have the instrument set up in the church on time.

Of course J. Smith was not a bud that was born to blush unseen, nor did he hide his beneficence under a bushel. He managed to bring in at least the flute stops no matter what the subject of conversation. Not only did the young Napoleon advertise himself by means of the church organ, but the pleased minister and the equally pleased congregation spread the news of his gift.

During this time John did not allow any alfalfa to grow under his feet. On the pretense of consulting some wealthy member of the congregation about some minor details of the organ he would drop into an office and before he left casually would mention the subject of the company that he was forming. Most of the men that he thus saw thought that it would be a good thing to be associated with a man who was making so much money that he was able to hand out \$5,000 without missing it, so that all were anxious to take stock in J. Smith's company.

Long before the time came for the first payment on the organ Smith had gathered enough money to start his business and was doing so well he had no difficulty in borrowing the amount needed to make the payment. From that time he has made money so fast that now he could give away several \$5,000 organs and pay for them as well.—Chicago Tribune.

Resting Their Muscles.

When a man is tired he stretches his arms and legs and yawns. Birds and animals, so far as possible, follow his example. Birds spread their feathers and also yawn, or gape. Fowls often do this. Fish yawn. They open their mouths slowly until they are round, the bones of the head seem to loosen and the gills open.

Dogs are inveterate yawners and stretchers, but seldom sneeze unless they have a cold. Cats are always stretching their bodies, legs and claws, as every one knows who has had a cat for a pet.

Horses stretch violently when and after indulging in a roll, but not as a rule on all fours, as stags do. A stag when stretching sticks out his head, stretches his fore feet out and hollows his back and neck as though trying to creep under a bar.

Most ruminant animals stretch when they rise up after lying down. Deer do it regularly; so do cattle. This fact is so well known that if a cow when stretching her fore feet out and hollows his back and neck as though trying to creep under a bar.

"Who got up those hanging gardens of Babylon?"
"Some king."
"For what purpose?"
"I judge he wanted to outwit the neighbors' chickens."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Always Tired.

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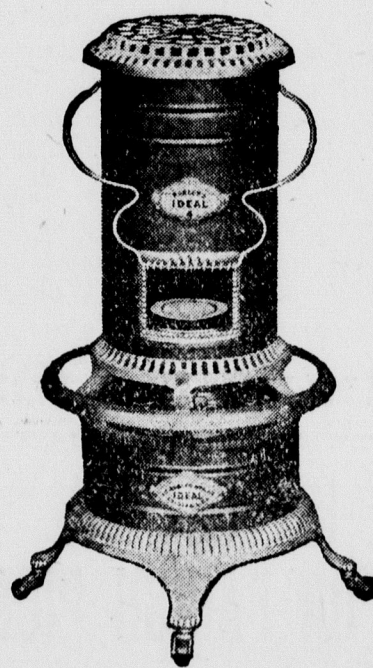
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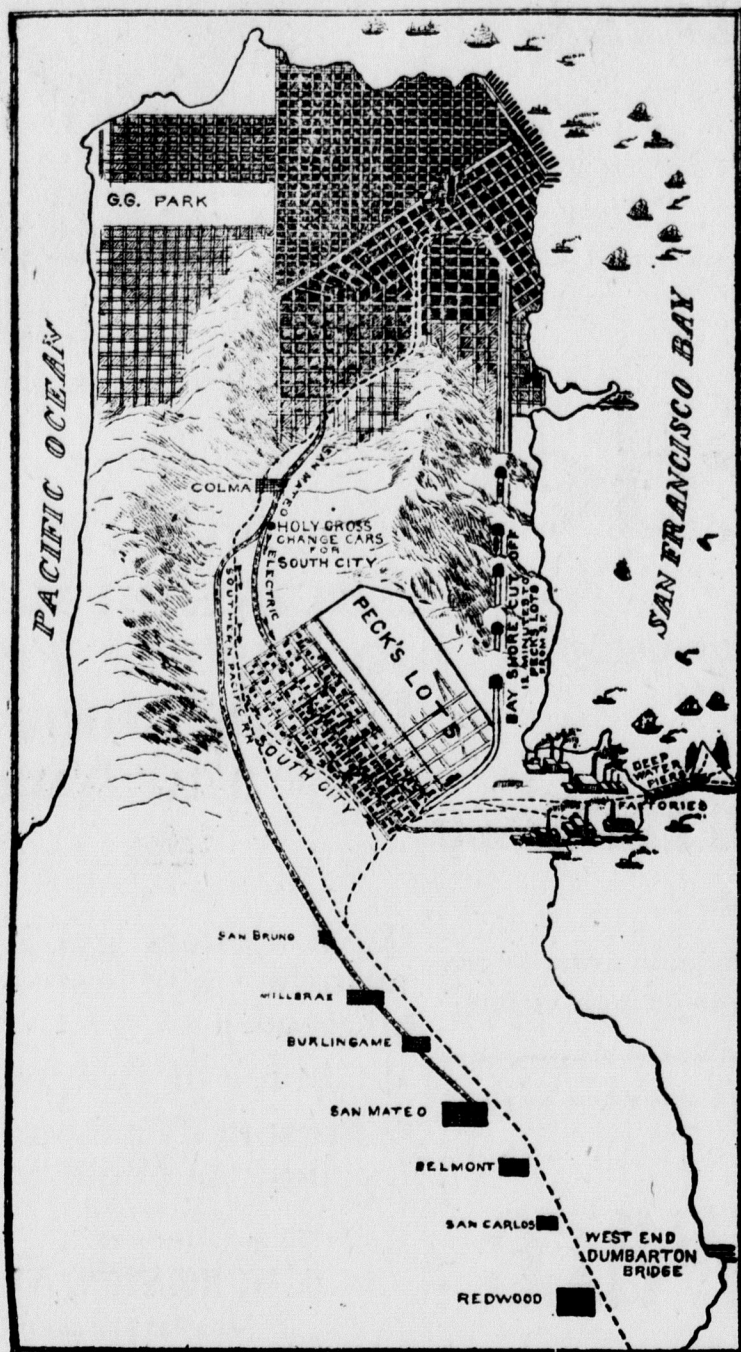
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While it is hardly necessary to refer to the picnic of Sunday last at Tanforan, the majority of actual residents being present, it might be well to state that the affair was not only a social but a financial success. San Francisco, San Mateo, Redwood City sent its quota, in fact guests seemed to come from everywhere. The trotting races naturally added to the crowd, many lovers of sport, while the wheel of fortune, under the guidance of Mrs. Spellman and Mrs. Harrison gave added interest to the scene.

The Douglas Band of San Francisco discoursed delightful music, and dancing was indulged in up to a late hour. The barristers presented themselves as usual and the games for prizes received usual support and amused the crowd. Those in charge of the picnic wish to thank all those who assisted in any way to make this their initial effort a success. Numbers of successful owners of coupons can be obtained at THE ENTERPRISE office. These are all of South City, showing how well the home people supported the local Aerie.

The picnic will probably become an annual affair, and should the same rule continue, giving a dollar picnic for twenty-five cents, they certainly will be patronized.

Members of the San Francisco Driving Club held a harness race meet during the afternoon. Four races were on the card, and all were closely contested. The judges ran off the events in splendid shape, there being but a few delays.

The best race of the day occurred in the second heat of the first race. Mike Donnelly won from Dynamite in a driving finish. Mike Donnelly lost the first heat, but won the following two and the race.

The spectators were treated to a close finish in the last heat of the third race for 2:20 class. King V. won the heat and the race from Mabel R.

Al Hoffmann drove Kitty D. to victory in the fourth race.

The track was in fine shape and the times made were good.

W. J. Kennedy acted as starter and got the horses off in good shape.

The officers of the day were: Marshal, Tom Loyd; judges, Bert Edwards, T. H. Concoran, J. McTigue; timers, M. Donnelly, N. Lawlor, F. Clotire.

The summary:

First race 2:25 class—Mike Donnelly (J. Bonney), 4-1-1, won; Dynamite (H. Schottler), 1-4-5, second; Billy Ellsworth (O. Taylor), 5-2-2, third; Dows (D. H. Boye) 2-5-4, fourth; Electioneer Cross (J. Paulson), 3-3-3, fifth. Time, 2:30, 2:30, 2:27½.

Second race, 2:17 class—Walter Wilkes (C. Becker), 1-1, won; Sidney B. (F. Burton), 2-2, second; Deroll (G. Ketto), 4-3, third; Golden Buck, (R. Giovanoni), 3-4, fourth.

Third race, 2:20 class—King V. (James O'Kane), 3-1-1, won; Mabel R. (M. Donnelly), 1-2-2, second; Mio (F. Burton), 6-3-3, third; Edenvale (D. Roberts), 2-6, fourth. Time, 2:16½, 2:18½.

Fourth race, free-for-all—Kitty D. (A. Hogmann), 4-1-1, won; Little Dick (Luke Marisch), 1-3-2, second; Toppy (G. Erlin), 2-2-3, third. Time, 2:22, 2:17½, 2:19.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The members of St. Pauls Sunday School held their annual picnic on Thursday of this week, quite a large number being in attendance. Two wagons carried the crowd to the grounds, which were located about a mile from Baden Crossing.

The day was spent in games, exercises, and various amusements. Of interest to all was the call to lunch, which was spread out under the trees. Everyone had contributed some share to the good things, and with lemonade and hot coffee all managed to get something to eat.

The management of the outing was in the hands of Mrs. N. A. Kizer and all voted that the arrangements and plans for the day were excellent, and accorded Mrs. Kizer a hearty "thank you."

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We would like to admonish all who intend to participate in the capture of the prizes that Salada Beach and Edgemar and that neighborhood boast of possessing last year's valuables, and are coming prepared to do likewise this season. We wish the pride of the old home sites and of the new competing ones to wake up and if Edgemar must win, let it be understood it was no walkover.

Next week we will give especial note to some of the contests, which are most popular and to the prizes most valuable.

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Last Sunday evening about 9 o'clock an automobile in which were Attorney Hall C. Ross, District Attorney J. J. Bullock and Guy Hull collided with a tree on the county road a couple of blocks from the Peninsula hotel. The party had just left the hotel for their homes in Redwood City. The main light on the machine had been broken a few days previous and the smaller lamps did not give sufficient light for Mr. Ross, who was the driver and owner of the machine, to see the road clearly. An approaching automobile caused Mr. Ross to turn his machine to one side and just as he did so he collided with a buggy standing beside the road. In trying to clear the buggy

the machine struck a tree. Messrs Hull and Bullock were thrown out and badly bruised and Mr. Bullock had one rib fractured. Mr. Ross remained in his seat, but had his ankle sprained from the jar of coming in contact with the brake. The machine was badly damaged.

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